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SUBJECT: PROPOSED CNO VISIT

REFS: (A) STATE 194462; (B) ANKARA 6059; (C) ATHENS 8521; (D) ANKARA 6372; (E) ATHENS 8889; (F) ANKARA 6535.

- 1. IN VIEW SUGGESTIONS OFFERED REFS B-F, DEPARTMENT AND NAVY HAVE RELUCTANTLY CONCLUDED THAT OPTIMUM SOLUTION FOR THIS PARTICULAR DILEMMA IS FOR CNO TO NOT VISIT EITHER GREECE OR TURKEY FOR THE TIME BEING. THUS CNO WILL BE TURNING DOWN ADMIRAL FIRAT'S INVITATION.
- 2. AS NOTED REF A, WE CONTINUE TO FEEL THAT VISITS BY CONFIDENTIAL

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CNO TO TURKEY AS WELL AS GREECE AT SOME POINT IN THE

NOT-TOO-DISTANT FUTURE WOULD BE DESIRABLE. THUS WE WOULD HOPE THAT AT SUCH TIME AS TENSIONS BETWEEN THESE TWO ALLIES ARE SOMEWHAT DIMINISHED, THE POSSIBILITY OF VISITS WOULD BE RECONSIDERED. KISSINGER

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